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EL SALVADOR: HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION PRESIDENT SCORES REPRESSION
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MANAGUA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN SPANISH 0330 GMT 14 MAR 80 PA
((TEXT)) THE ALLEGED RELOCATION OF SALVADORAN PEASANTS ON THE LAND RECENTLY NATIONALIZED BY THE SALVADORAN MILITARY JUNTA CONSTITUTES A COVER UP FOR A GIGANTIC COUNTERINSURGENCY OPERATION, MARIANELA GARCIA, PRESIDENT OF THE SALVADORAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, HAS TOLD THIS NEWSCAST.

ACCORDING TO GARCIA, OVER 200 PEASANTS HAVE BEEN ASSASSINATED SINCE SEVERAL FARMS WERE NATIONALIZED AND THE STATE OF SIEGE WAS IMPLEMENTED. SHE ADDED THAT SEVERAL TRUCKS LOADED WITH NATIONAL GUARDSMEN HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE RURAL AREAS, WHERE THEY CAPTURE AND KILL THOSE PEASANTS WHO HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS OPPOSITION MEMBERS OR EVEN ((WORD INDISTINCT)) THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRACY.

SHE ALSO SAID THAT SOME 500 PEASANTS HAVE SOUGHT REFUGE IN THE SAN SALVADOR ARCHBISHOPRIC AFTER FLEEING THEIR HOMETOWNS.
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